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To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing today to ask in the strongest way possible that you rescind the unjust and coercive mandate that all "contraceptives" and sterilization procedures be covered by private health insurance with no co-pay to patients.

If you do not reverse course I ask you to expand conscience protections for any organizations that provide individual and group insurance and have moral or religious objections. I strongly oppose the government forcing free insurance coverage on Americans especially for drugs and devices that I oppose because some of these can cause an abortion (such as ella and Plan B).

I also ask you to reconsider your definition of religious employer and offer an authentic conscience protection for any organization and business that has moral or religious objection to providing such insurance to their employees. This legal mandate clearly violates the spirit of conscience laws which prohibit government discrimination against those who object to various health services on moral or religious grounds. The definition of "religious employer" in the regulation is so narrow as to only include churches, but will still mean that a host of businesses and organizations that have conscience objections will be required to choose between either violating their conscience or not being able to offer employees health insurance.

Please protect the conscience rights of insurers, providers and people like me who object to being forced by the federal government to offer or subsidize contraceptives and sterilization services, especially when some of these drugs can take the life of early unborn children. No Americans should be forced by the federal government to essentially subsidize services they object to. I again urge you in the strongest way possible to reverse course and remove contraceptives and sterilizations from the list of mandatory preventive services.

To be truthful, I would request that it would be more constitutional for the entire health-care issues of the last two and one-half years be declared null and void.

And then begin the long and arduous process of actually improving the system that has been in affect until recently.

Eliminating fraud and dishonesty would be a great place to start. The current administrations proposed and promoted will make not only health issues worse, but will contribute to worsening others aspects of "American" life.

Why do you think the coming to "America" has been a hope and a dream for so many people from all over the world for over a centuries?

The changes that are being many in the society as a whole are NOT what has brought so many immigrants here to share in the US's society's FREEDOMS, religious freedoms, "wealth" / opporunites to improve way of live for themselves and their children, educational sylstem, health care,

WHY do you wish to change this country into an inferior place? Why do you think you know more than everyone else? Even some countries that have tried some of the ideas that you are purporting have given warnings to the United States of America NOT to follow in their disasterous path. It is possible, and prudent, to learn from others and from history.

Sincerely,
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